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# Victoria Daily Times.

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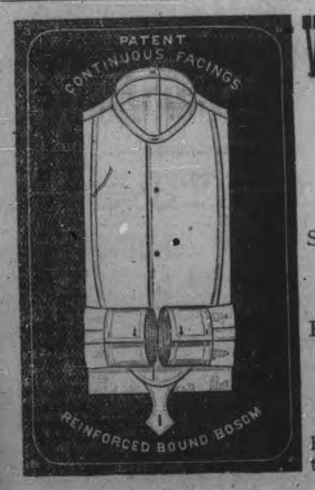


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## IN THE PLACE OF MR. BLAINE

President Harrison Nominates John W. Foster for Secretary of State.

Organization of the Republican Committee to Conduct the Campaign.

Six Men Killed by the Falling of a Brick Wall—Pest in California Hopyards.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—The President sent to the Senate to-day the following nominations, John W. Foster, of Indiana, Secretary of State; J. Sherwood, of California, to be Receiver of Public Moneys at Marysville, Cala. Soon after the nomination of Foster was received by the Senate, on motion of Mr. Sherman, chairman of committee on Foreign Relations, an executive session was held to consider the nomination. It was at once confirmed, a most unusual compliment to the nominee, and one which has heretofore been extended only to Senators sitting in that body when nominated to office by the President.

### Shot on His Wedding Day.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 29.—At Alpine, a small town on the Southern Pacific, 100 miles east of here, yesterday morning Jordan Bennett and John Good exchanged shots. Bennett was shot through the body and Good through his hip. Bennett was taken to the hotel, and will die. Good was carried to jail, and will recover. The circumstances are these: Bennett and Miss Josie Darling, a beautiful girl, came here yesterday and wanted a marriage licence. It was refused on account of the youth of the bride. The couple had recourse to the clerk of an adjoining county, got a licence, returned here and were married in the afternoon. Good is a friend of the Darling family. He met the couple as they came out of the hotel yesterday morning and remarked: "Well, Josie, you have got a man at last." The bridegroom reached for his hip pocket, and Good, who is an old timer, reached for his boot. But one shot was exchanged. Good is quite elderly, but is said to have been an ardent suitor of the girl. The wife threw herself upon the prostrate body of her husband, and when torn from him was covered with blood.

### Republican Executive Committee.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—It is understood that Chairman Campbell, in whom the National Republican committee vested the appointment of an executive committee, will announce the names of the members this week. It will consist of nine members, four of them, Chairman Campbell. Vice Chairman DeYoung, Secretary Carter and Treasurer Bliss, being ex-officio members. For the other places the names of Samuel Fessenden, of Connecticut, Joseph H. Manley, of Maine; Garret A. Hobert, of New Jersey, and James S. Clarkson, of Iowa, are mentioned. This committee will be known as the Campaign committee, and while it will have full control of the conduct of the campaign its powers will end with the election. In this it differs from any previous executive National Committee.

### The Editor and the Doctor.

DENNISON, Texas., June 29.—W. Harris editor of the Greenville Herald, while driving with his brother this morning met Dr. Y. K. Yowell, late of Greenville, on the road, with detective D. M. Davis. On seeing the Harris brothers Dr. Yowell fired at them twice and then ran. W. Harris took careful sight along his Winchester at the flying figure and shot Dr. Yowell dead with a bullet through the heart. It is alleged that Yowell was ruining Harris' home.

### Shot by a Policeman.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 29.—Robert Kerlin, a young plasterer, was shot and killed this morning by police officer Edward J Thompson. Officers Thompson and Bode ordered Kirlin and three other young men who were staggering about to go home. Kirlin dared the officers to place him under arrest and became abusive. When taken into custody he commenced slashing at Thompson with the knife. The officer told him to drop the weapon, and upon his refusing to do so drew a revolver and struck Kirlin over the face. The latter continued to cut and jab at the policeman, and Thompson, placing the revolver against the fellow's left breast, fired, the ball entering over the heart. Thompson surrendered himself immediately after the shooting. No charge has been placed against him, as it is believed that the coroner's jury will exonerate him. He is 28 years of age. His victim was four years his junior.


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## THE PROHIBITIONISTS.

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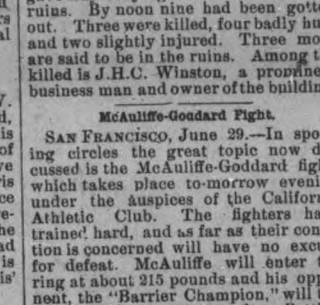

CHAIRMAN DICKIE.

Chairman Samuel Dickie will call the Prohibition party's convention to order to-day in Exposition Hall, Cincinnati. One thousand delegates were expected. The business on hand is the selection of a presidential ticket and the drawing up of a platform. If the assertions of the leaders are to be credited there will be no coalition with the People's party. Among the men prominently mentioned for President are Walter B. Hill of Georgia, W. J. Demarest of New York, E. F. Ritter of Indiana, General John Bidwell of California, J. B. Hobbs of Chicago, and H. Clay Bascom of New York. Among the vice-presidential candidates are Sam Small of Georgia, Geo. W. Bain of Kentucky, A. A. Stevens of Pennsylvania, and A. G. Wobfinbarger of Nebraska. General Bidwell is said to have the best chance. There was for a time a movement on foot to nominate John P. St. John, but a letter of declination from that gentleman changed the entire programme. The hall in which the nominations will be made is on the site of the building where Colonel Ingersoll first nominated Blaine, and in the very building where a year or more since the People's party was formed. With regard to the probable platform, it is said that the silver matter is just as troublesome to the Prohibitionists as to the older parties.

## BUEIED BY A WALL.

Brick Wall Falls and Buries Twelve Men—Six Killed.

LYNCHBURG, June 29.—A terrible accident occurred hear early this morning. While a number of men were erecting a brick wall on a building undergoing repairs, the wall suddenly gave way burying 12 workmen in the ruins. By noon nine had been gotten out. Three were killed, four badly hurt and two slightly injured. Three more are said to be in the ruins. Among the killed is J.H.C. Winston, a prominent business man and owner of the building.

### McAuliffe-Goddard Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 29.—In sporting circles the great topic now discussed is the McAuliffe-Goddard fight, which takes place to-morrow evening under the auspices of the California Athletic Club. The fighters have trained hard, and as far as their condition is concerned will have no excuse for defeat. McAuliffe will enter the ring at about 215 pounds and his opponent, the "Barrier Champion," will toe the scratch at 198 pounds. Betting when the match was made favored the Australian, but as the day of contest drew near, McAuliffe stock gradually ascended until it reached even money.

### An Officer Disgraced.

HALIFAX, N.S., June 29.—An officer of the war ships now in port was courtmartialed yesterday for extending his leave of absence without permission. He was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment, at the expiration of which time he will be discharged from the service. Other charges were preferred and helped to make the sentence a heavy one, but the breaking of the leave was the basis of the prosecution.

### Brief Telegrams.

DES MOINES, Iowa, June 29.—The Republican state convention has assembled to nominate candidates for secretary of state, auditor and railroad commissioner.

OSHKOSH, Wisconsin, June 29.—James Wilder died suddenly last evening at his home, West Algoma, of dropsy, aged 63 years. He was superintendent of all the United States railway mail business west of the Rocky mountains.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 29.—While the twin sons of fielding Knott, of Granvill county, aged four years, and named Grover Cleveland Knott and Allan G. Knott, were yesterday chasing each other around their father's kitchen, Grover fell into a pot of boiling vegetables, placed on the floor by the cook, and was so severely scalded that he died shortly afterwards.

LIMA, Ohio., June 29.—Senator Brice states that Congressman Benj. T. Cable, of Illinois, will be made chairman of the Democratic National committee.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—The Senate to-day confirmed James Lotan, of Oregon, collector of customs for the district of Willamette, Oregon; and Amos F. Shaw, of Vancouver, Wash., surveyor general of Washington.

Ice cream freezers, 2 to 10 quarts, at Weiler Bros.

## HON. JOHN ROBSON DYING.

The Premier Meets With an Accident in London That Will Prove Fatal.

The Startling News Conveyed in a Telegram To-day to Joseph Hunter, M.P.P.

An Injury to the Premier's Hand Apparently Attended With Fatal Results.

The following startling telegram was received from London, Eng., to-day by Mr. Joseph Hunter, son-in-law of the Premier:—

"Hon. John Robson injured his finger in an accident in London this morning which caused a complete collapse. There is no hope of his recovery."

The Premier's visit to London was undertaken chiefly for the purpose of completing arrangements with the Imperial Government and the company in England for the settlement of the Crofter families in British Columbia. He had apparently in view as well the betterment of his own health, which had given way under the strain of hard work in the service of the province. The news of his fatal illness will be received with regret by every person in British Columbia, whether friend or foe in a political sense. The regret caused by the unhappy ending of his trip and the sympathy with his bereaved relatives will be very general.

## OTTAWA NEWS.

Intercolonial Finances—Railway Aid Resolutions Brought Down.

OTTAWA, June 29.—A minister of the Crown stated to-day that next year there would be no deficit in the Intercolonial. For the past two years the deficit has been over half a million dollars.

The Government does not expect to be able to do anything in regard to a fast Atlantic steamship line this season. The statutory offer of half a million dollars must be increased before anything is done.

This being a Roman Catholic Church holiday, Parliament is not in session.

General Laurie, ex-member of the House of Commons, is contesting a Welsh seat.

Pontiac would not stay redeemed. It has again elected Bryson (Conservative) by 96 majority. T. Murray, the unseated member, was the Liberal candidate.

The railway resolutions were brought down last night. They provide for subsidies for new railways, amounting in all to $15,000,000. A grant is proposed of $3200 a mile for the Nicola Valley Railway, 25 miles, and a similar grant for the line from Revelstoke to the Arrow Lake, also 25 miles.

The amendment proposed by Senator McInnes was re-inserted in the Burrard Inlet bridge bill, calling for either a height of 150 feet or a clear span of 150 feet in width. Twenty-six Senators voted for and 13, including Premier Abbott, against the amendment.

## TO PROSECUTE BISMARCK.

The Kaiser Orders an Inquiry—Intense Feeling Aroused.

BERLIN, June 29.—Public feeling has been aroused in an almost unprecedented degree by the report that the Kaiser had directed the Minister of Imperial Justice to make enquiry regarding the recent reported interview with Prince Bismarck, with a view to prosecute the ex-Chancellor.

The Tagblatt says: "The die is cast. Prince Bismarck has attained the object for which he has striven during the last two years, and has forced the Government to take up the gauntlet he has so often thrown at its feet. With the full weight of his historical name he exposes Chancellor Caprivi to the eyes of foreign nations and discredits him by means of reckless utterances. All patriots will regard the procedure with aching hearts. Chancellor von Caprivi's question whether Bismarck's conduct is patriotic will be answered by the majority of the nation in the negative."

The Vissische Zeitung says: "A single false step on the part of the Government, in the contest now openly embarked upon, may lead to tragedy. No matter what the opinion about Bismarck may be, it will not be a Bismarck tragedy. We merely hope that the Government will not execute its threat to take action against the creator of German union.

The National Zeitung hopes the patiotism of Prince Bismarck will lead him to put an end to the painful spectacle of his attack on the government. It attributes his bitter words to disappointment at the refusal of the Austrian Kaiser to grant him an audience.

## CUT IN TWO.

An Atlantic Steamer Cuts a Bark in Two—Crew Saved.

LONDON, June 29.—The steamer Trave, which left New York June 21st for Southampton and Bremen, has passed Scilly islands. She signalled she was slightly damaged after leaving New York by a collision with a vessel which foundered after the collision. The Trave succeeded in saving the captain and crew, who are now on board the Trave. The vessel with which the Trave collided is supposed to be the bark Fred B. Taylor, of Yarmouth, N. S., which was seen floating upside down in the ocean a few days, showing signs of having been nearly cut in two by a collision, and concerning the fate of whose captain and crew great anxiety has been felt.

## NEWFOUNDLAND'S TROUBLES.

A British War Vessel Breaks Up a Lobster Factory on the French Shore.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., June 29.—The lobster factory of James Houlahan, at Derry Head Cove, Bona Bay, on the French shore, has been raided by the British war ship Buzzard. The boiler and boats were removed and the factory woodpile burned. The war ship then suddenly left. The lobster business at that point is now destroyed.

A disastorous forest fire is raging in the districts about Renews and Bay Bulis. Two families at the former place have been rendered homeless by the fire.

## PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

T. C. Conway, of Chemainus, is at the Oriental.

J. S. Stannard, of Nanaimo, came down to-day.

Dr. McGuigan, of Vancouver, is in the city on business.

John Kirkland, of Delta, is spending a few days in the city.

Miss L. Wallace leaves to-morrow for Vancouver to visit friends.

Alex Ewen and D. J. Munn, the New Westminster canners, are in town.

D. C. Edwards, inspector of the Eastern Assurance Company, is in the city.

Alexander Ewen and D. J. Munn, of New Westminster, came down from the Mainland last night and will return this evening.

Mrs. Attridge, Miss Attridge, Mrs. Poole, Miss Poole, and Mrs. Pettygrove; and child, of Port Townsend, are in the city.

Police Officer C. Cameron has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be able to be out on the streets again. He will not try to work till next week.

R. Nevins, jr., Mrs. Nevins and Master Nevins came over from the Sound last evening. Mrs. Nevins and Master Nevins will spend the summer at Shawnigan Lake.

## BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Uniform Rank, K. of P., will hold their regular monthly business meeting at Pioneer Hall in parade dress this evening.

The case of Lawrence vs. Richards was up in the Supreme Court again this afternoon.

Baby carriages in great variety at Sehl, Hastie & Erskine's.

The regular weekly meeting of the city council will be held this evening at 8 in the city hall. There is a good deal of business to be transacted.

A beautiful line of sash curtains in art shades a. Spencer's Arcade.

See the windows of Weiler Bros. for bargains in elegant parlor lamps.

There was a slim attendance at the city council meeting last night. Even the old "regulars" are getting tired of the "staying" powers of the worthy nine.

Another invoice of these beautiful art silks and silkalines, at Weiler Bros.

Mr. W. Martius, graduate of the Kullak conservatory, Berlin, will receive pupils who earnestly intend to take thorough musical and technical instruction on the piano. No. 10 Blanchard street. w-s-tu

A cabby and an expressman slanging one another on James Bay bridge this forenoon as to right of way, brought forth innumerable quotations from the classics that would have won the approbation of a London "growler" driver or a Whitechapel coster.

Ecru lace curtains in great variety at D. Spencer's.

The telephone system is not giving a great deal of satisfaction. The gentleman who tried to talk to somebody this morning resigned the instrument in despair and used the most awful language to the unoffending "offis boi," whom he caught laughing at his struggles to make the other person hear what he was saying. The heat seems to make the wires hard of hearing.

### Was It Hypnotism?

OAKLAND, Cal., June 29.—In the case of Mrs. Mary Martin, charged with defrauding a Miss Leonard out of $14,000, the jury returned a verdict of guilty. Miss Leonard, a young lady from New York state, claimed that Mrs. Martin had obtained such a control over her will that she was virtually compelled to do as she chose. The testimony was of a most sensational character and indicated a deliberate plan to swindle.

### Excursions to Northwest.

MONTREAL, June 29.—A large party of settlers and excursionists from the Maritime Provinces left Montreal last night by the Canadian Pacific railway for the Canadian Northwest. The majority of the party will go to Alberta, and the remainder to Manitoba and Assiniboina. The last of these regular cheap excursions will leave the Maritime Provinces on July 18.

### Red Spider Pest.

SACRAMENTO, June 29.—The red spider has again appeared in the hop yards in this country, and while in former years the damage done by them was small, owing to their scarcity in numbers, this season they have increased to such an extent that several parties have ordered spraying apparatus.

### Bound For the Orient.

The Phra Nang will call at the outer wharf at 6 this evening on her way to China and Japan.

THE . . . . LATEST . . . . NOVELTIES IN WALL PAPER PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, ETC. JUST OPENING . . . AT J. W. MELLOR'S 76-78 Fort St., above Douglas.

## THE CRIMES OF A CANADIAN.

**Thomas Neill Cream Supposed to be the London Murderer and Blackmailer.**

**A Scotland Yard Detective Sent Out to America to Investigate His Record.**

NEW YORK, June 29. — Inspector Fred Jarvis, one of the shrewdest of the Scotland Yard detectives is in this city, presumably on important business for the British police authorities. He arrived on the Cunarder Umbria on Saturday, and on Monday he called on Supt. Byrnes. Yesterday he was closeted for a long time with Chief Inspector Steers. Detectives McCloskie and Crowley have been specially assigned to assist Inspector Jarvis in whatever mission brought him to this country. It was given out yesterday that Inspector Jarvis was here simply on a visit to his father-in-law, who is a well known resident of Yonkers.

Neither Byrnes nor Inspector Steers would discuss the nature of the business which Jarvis is doing here. It was learned, however, that Inspector Jarvis has been sent here to trace the career in this country of Thomas Neill alias Cream, who is under arrest in London for the poisoning of two young women with strychnine, and who is also charged with having attempted to blackmail several notable persons, among them the son of William Henry Smith, by charging them with having poisoned the girls. Neil' was at one time a resident of Saratoga, N.Y.

Another part of the mission of Inspector Jarvis is said to be looking after the movements of Wm. Henry Hurlburt, the litterateur, formerly a resident of this city, subsequently of London, and at present believed to be in Mexico with his wife. He is a fugitive from justice, and a warrant is out for his arrest for perjury alleged to have been committed in the matter of the famous Wilfred Murray letters.

CREAM'S CAREER IN CANADA.

MONTREAL, June 29.—Absolute proof has been discovered that Thomas Neill, now in London charged with poisoning Matilda Clover, is Dr. Thomas Neil' Cream, who graduated from McGill College in Montreal and was sentenced to a life term in the United States for abortion. Thomas Neill Cream, although he has lived the most of his life on the American Continent, was born, so the register of McGill College says, in Glasgow, Scotland, on May 7, 1850. While still a young lad, his parents emigrated to Canada and settled in the ancient city of Quebec, where old Mr. Cream managed to accumulate a comfortable competency. Young Cream himself first worked in the shipbuilding trade as a carpenter. As he showed considerable natural ability, his father decided on sending him to Montreal to study at McGill College for the profession of medicine. Cream went through his chosen course with great credit to himself, nor did he then show any of his traits which afterwards made him so criminally famous. It was in 1872 when Cream entered college. In 1876 he graduated and was a full-fledged M. D. Cream's criminal career commenced almost immediately after leaving the University. Beginning the practice of medicine in Kingston, Ont., it was not long before whispers were in circulation regarding certain unprofessional practices that were strongly suspected on the part of the young M. D. Rumor was made certain when one morning the dead body of a young woman was found lying in a shed at the rear of Cream's office. The authorities took the matter up and the coroner's post mortem enquiry proved beyond a doubt that the woman had perished from the effects of a criminal operation, but the evidence was not considered conclusive enough by the police officials to warrant the arrest of the suspected physician. However, public feeling was so stirred up against Cream that he lost his practice and was compelled to leave Kingston. He took up his residence in Hamilton, Ont.

CAUGHT IN CHICAGO.

Here again his illegal practices got the doctor into trouble. Shortly after Cream's arrival in Hamilton another woman was found dead from malpractice and this time the evidence pointed so directly towards Cream that he was arrested and put on trial for the murder of the woman. The testimony was insufficient to convict, however, but Cream, disgusted with Canada, emigrated and made Chicago his home. This was in the latter part of 1877. Cream was evidently now a confirmed abortionist. This time, however, he was captured at his work. A considerable sensation was caused in Chicago in 1877 by the death of a Chicago lady from malpractice. Cream was arrested, charged with the crime, and in this instance the facts were brought directly home to him. The testimony of the maid servant, a negress, who saw the operation performed, convicted Cream, and his career was brought to a close by his being sentenced to imprisonment for life in the Illinois state prison at Joliet. Cream served 13 years of his sentence, when he received a pardon on account of his ill-health. When Cream entered the outer world once more he found himself the possessor of a fortune. During his imprisonment his father had died. A clause of his father's will, in which Dr. Cream was left a legacy, was as follows: "I hereby bequeath to my son, Thomas Neil Cream, the sum of $16,000 in the stock of the Merchants' Bank of Canada for his use should he ever regain his rights of citizenship." After leaving the prison Cream went to the old country, and it was then apparently that under the name of Thomas Neil, he met Miss Sabbitini, who was one of the most important witnesses at the inquest now being held in London into the death of Matilda Clover.

THE TELL-TALE LETTERS.

In March last Cream again visited his old home in Quebec, and came from there to Montreal, where he realized on his stock in the Merchants' Bank. The identity of Thomas Neill, now under arrest for poisoning Matilda Clover, with Dr. Thomas Neill Cream, is conclusively proved by a series of letters now in the possession of Mr. D. Battersby, general railway and steamboat ticket agent, of Montreal. Mr. Battersby has a number of letters signed "Thomas N. Cream," asking for rates from New York to New Glasgow and Liverpool. The letters were signed "Thos. N. Cream, M. D., Blanchard's Hotel, Quebec." It will be remembered that after Neill had made his arrangements for the wedding with Miss Sabittini in London, he left her instructions to address all his letters "Dr. Cream, care Daniel Cream, Blanchard's Hotel, Quebec." Dr. Cream was at the Albion Hotel, Montreal, in March 1890, and from there wrote again to Mr. Battersby, stating that he had purchased a ticket on the Britannic; that he expected a parcel in Montreal and asked Mr. Battersby to forward it to Liverpool by the steamship Labrador. When the parcel came Mr. Battersby opened it. It contained a number of printed circulars, of which the following is a copy: "Ellen Donworth's Death. To the Guests of the Metropole Hotel. Ladies and Gents, I hereby notify you that the person who poisoned Ellen Donworth on the 13th of last October is to-day in the employ of the Metropole Hotel, and that your lives are in danger as long as you remain in this hotel. Yours respectfully, W. H. Murray. London, April, 1892."

The blackmailing letters that Miss Sabbitini received, she testified, were signed "W. H. Murray." Mr. Battersby forwarded the parcel of circulars to Cream and received a letter signed "Thos. N. Cream" acknowledging the receipt of the parcel, and thanking Mr. Battersby. This would seem to connect Neill and Cream in an unmistakable manner. It is another coincidence, however, that Miss Rachael Cream, sister of Dr. Cream, sailed from Quebec for Liverpool, June 15 on the steamship Lake Superior. She would arrive in Liverpool yesterday. It is, therefore, evident that Miss Cream has been in communication with her brother and has crossed the Atlantic to render him what assistance she can.

## CANADIAN NOTES.

**News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.**

Mr. Costello, a resident of Brantford for 40 years, is dead.

Sir Oliver Mowat and party have arrived at Penetanguishene to spend the hot season.

Mrs. T. Bartlett, aged 65, living near Port Stanley, has committed suicide by taking strychnine.

J. B. Causella, a wealthy French grocer of Montreal, jumped into the river and was drowned.

The Hamilton city council has passed a by-law enacting that drunks shall be liberated on the first and second offence if they have not been disorderly.

David Boggs, of Boggs Bros., coal and wood merchants, Toronto, was torn to pieces through being caught in the flywheel of the firm's engine.

The City Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Toronto is in liquidation. The University fire, through which it lost $10,000, proved too much for it.

Henry Tupper and Mrs. McLelan, widow of the late Hon. William McLelan, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, were quietly married at Truro and left on a trip to New York.

Alex. S. Prout, of Milton, a pupil at the Upper Canada College, died from a clot of blood on the brain, the result of a foil thrust received on Saturday, while fencing with his cousin, another pupil.

Rain poured down in torrents in Quebec throughout the whole of Monday night and the country is literally flooded. So much rain has fallen of late that great injury to the crops may be expected.

The sensational rumor gained currency at Moncton that Maritime province merchants owed $400,000 to the Government for freight on the Intercolonial. The statement is denied by railway officials.

The petition against the return of A. C. Miller, Conservative member of Parliament for Prince Edward county, has been withdrawn. A cross petition has been filed against James Lawson, the defeated candidate for Welland county.

The Winnipeg post-office clerks have received news from Ottawa of a still further reduction in the provisional allowances. Hitherto they have received ten per cent. allowance over their regular salaries. In future they will only get 2½ per cent.

Before leaving Quebec Hon. Edward Blake told a friend he was going to Ireland with the hope of being of some service to her in her present unfortunate condition, and with the hope that a favorable understanding may be consummated between the McCarthyites and the Parnellites.

Another commission has been appointed to inquire into the misdeeds of the Mercier government in connection with the payment of subsidies to the Montreal and Sorel railway. P. B. Casgrain, ex-M.P., and G. W. Stephens and D. Pariseau, members of the Legislature, are the commissioners.

A great deal of indignation is expressed among Roman Catholics in Montreal against the pastoral letter issued by Archbishop Fabre, which strongly enjoins the strict observance of the Sabbath by the Roman Catholic population, and forbidding the faithful to attend all places of amusement on Sunday.

The C.P.R. is making special efforts to divert to the Canadian Northwest the stream of emigration which so long flowed from the Maritime Provinces to the United States, and is giving transportation to Maritime farmers to go out to see the prairies for themselves. The first of these parties to go from the eastern provinces left Moncton Tuesday.

The postoffice at Sackville, N.B., was entered one morning lately, the safe blown open and its contents, including 11 registered letters and a small sum of money, taken. The burglars then set fire to the office, destroying a large amount of stamps and postal cards, but the fire was discovered by parties driving by before it had made much headway.

One night recently Constable Dennison, of Mitchell, gave a night's lodging in the rear portion of the under part of the town hall to an old tramp. Next day after being furnished with breakfast he left town, and a morning or two after was found dead in a corner of a fence on con. 6, Hibbert. On the body being searched over $100 were found in his pockets.

Despatches from England state that the appointment of Lord Hannen and Sir John Thompson as arbitrators in the Behring Sea dispute with the United States, has been approved by the Queen. Hon. C. H. Tupper will be the British agent to represent the British Government at the arbitration, with the Attorney-General of England, Mr. C. Robinson, Q.C., of Ontario, and Hon. W. Cross, M. P., of England, to act as counsel for Great Britain.

Seventeen years ago Thomas Kelly, of Toronto, was convicted of burglary and sentenced to a term in the penitentiary. He escaped from the officers while going to the penitentiary and went to Cleveland, Ohio, where he has lived an upright life ever since and prospered. Monday night he returned quietly on a visit to his parents, but the detectives were notified of his presence and he was arrested. There is much sympathy for him. His pardon will be petitioned for.

One of the Greenway government's best strokes of policy is just taking effect at the most opportune time. At the session of the legislature over a year ago, a bonus was voted to the Canadian Pacific to the Souris coal fields, and a contract made with the company to deliver coal in Winnipeg at $4 per ton. Heretofore coal has sold there at from $7 to $10 per ton. It is now to be delivered on the cars for $3. Of course the government candidates will make the most of this in the campaign.

According to the Winnipeg Free Press, Hugh Ryan, the Toronto railway contractor, has made a settlement with the Manitoba Railway of his long-standing claim in connection with the building of the Red River Valley railway, the payment of which has always been disputed by the Greenway Government. The Government were in need of election funds, and have made a settlement with Ryan for $58,000, one half of which, it is said, he is to return to the Government for election purposes. The Free Press concludes by saying: "In a word, some $58,000 have been stolen from the people to obtain smaller sums with which to purchase and maintain a venal press and to corrupt the susceptible part of the electorate direct, to the end that the Greenway Government robbers may themselves be continued in power."

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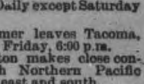

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## THE RAILWAY AID BY-LAW.

**The Council Considers the Bill in Committee and Reports it Complete.**

**The Point Ellice Bridge to be Repaired Immediately with Wooden Joists.**

A special meeting of the city council was held at the city hall last evening with Mayor Beaven in the chair. The following aldermen were present:—Messrs. Hunter, Lovell, Munn, Bragg, Baker, Hall, Styles, McKillican and Humber.

A letter was read from the city engineer stating that wagons and cars still cross the Point Ellice bridge, although that structure was in a dangerous condition and a serious accident might occur at any time.

Ald. McKillican said the want of funds had caused the delay.

Ald. Humber and Hall objected to this; they thought the bridge should be repaired at once.

The city engineer's report on the bridge, presented last week, was re-read. The estimated cost of the repairs, iron floor beams to be used, is $1500

Ald. McKillican could not see why iron floor beams should be put on a wooden bridge. He moved that the bridge be repaired with wooden floor beams immediately.

Ald. Styles was of the same opinion. The wooden girders would certainly last as long as the rest of the bridge.

Ald. McKillican's motion was carried.

W. H. Northcott, assessor, stating that he had obtained the list of those gentlemen who were entitled to vote on account of their residence within the new city limits. On motion of Ald. Lovell it was decided to add the names to the city's voters' list.

On motion the council went into a committee of the whole for the purpose of reconsidering the ward by-law.

The Mayor pointed out several discrepancies in the description of the by-law. The necessary amendments were made and the by-law passed.

VICTORIA AND SYDNEY BY-LAW.

Mayor Beaven said the committee appointed to report on the Victoria & Sidney by-law had prepared a report but could not agree as to one clause. He was in favor of the clause which was objected to by Aldermen Munn and Hunter.

The council went into committee of the whole to consider the by-law and memorandum of agreement.

Alderman Humber wanted to know who would own the railway if the company failed to finish it.

Alderman Munn explained that there would be sufficient money in a chartered bank to complete the work.

Alderman Humber in speaking to clause eight, said he was no friend of the Chinese, but he remembered a Chinese clause in a Westminster bill and afterwards having to withdraw it. He would as soon employ Chinamen as a certain other class of workmen. Of course it was better to employ white men.

The Chinese clause was, however, left in.

Ald. Styles objected to clause nine, which provided for the payment of workmen.

The mayor explained that the clause provided for the payment of a fair day's wages for a fair day's work. In conversation with Mr. Childs, the greatest philanthropist on the continent, that gentleman was in favor of this system. Mayor Beaven said it would do away with the way in which men were being paid on the sewerage works.

Ald. Baker moved that the clause be struck out.

Ald. Munn seconded the motion, he doing so as he thought the clause would kill the scheme.

Ald. Humber also objected to the clause. He thought it did not give the company a fair chance. Uniform wages were not right, as one man cannot do the same work as another.

Mayor Beaven said the aldermen had been complaining about the way the workmen on the sewerage work were treated. The clause was put in the by-law to do away with this.

The clause was struck out.

There was some discussion on clause 13, which provides that the contractor has to be a resident of the province for six months before tendering for the work. The clause was allowed to stand.

Ald. Munn moved that the committee rise and report the by-law and agreement complete with amendments. Carried.

The same alderman moved that the Mayor be authorized to execute the agreement between the city, the company and the government in relation to the railway. Carried.

**Tory Election Methods.**

LONDON, June 28.—The Star says the Tories at Salisbury have issued a cartoon entitled, "The Grand Old Man's last Journey." It depicts Gladstone with his 83 years bearing a palm in his left hand and his Home Rule bill in his right, being dragged down to hell by the devil. The cartoon has so shocked the electors and those opposed to Mr. Gladstone, that most of the copies have been called in and high prices offered for the remainder that are still in circulation.

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**July 4th at Tacoma and Seattle.**

For July 4th celebrations at Seattle and Tacoma the Puget Sound and Alaska steamship company will provide a double steamer service from here. Besides the City of Kington's regular trips, the City of Seattle will leave here at 7:30 Sunday morning, July 3rd, and at 6:30 Monday morning, July 4th. Breakfast will be served on board both Sunday and Monday mornings at 8 o'clock. Returning, City of Seattle will leave Tacoma and Seattle evening of July 4th after the fire works, reaching Victoria early Tuesday morning.

## ODDS AND ENDS.

Ignorance is the mother of impudence.

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Handkerchiefs were first manufactured at Paisley in 1743.

It is hard to find fault with people who think just as we do.

In Paris toads are sold to gardeners to be used in destroying insects.

If mud must be thrown, it had better be with a shovel rather than with a pen.

Live fish have been sent in safety in the mails from India to the British museum.

There is something wrong with a man's religion if it never makes him want to sing.

England is said to have today a much lower rate of mortality than Massachusetts.

A Brussels syndicate is going to cultivate tobacco extensively in the Congo Free State.

An inverted rainbow was reported a few days ago as having been seen near Jefferson, Ia.

The Turkish government has forbidden the importation of all patent medicines into that country.

In Germany, while the production of pig iron has increased, the consumption of that article has declined.

The authorities in Berlin have determined to cremate all paupers who may die while being a public charge.

When the preacher is wide awake himself it is not hard for him to keep his congregation from going to sleep.

King Humbert of Italy takes great delight in amateur cooking, in which useful occupation he shows great skill.

The mosquito is said to have twenty-two teeth in his bill. They are so diminutive as to be visible only through a microscope.

Hibernia is "utmost" or "last habitation," for beyond this to the westward the Phœnicians never extended their voyages.

The value of the words "not transferable" often found printed upon tickets has been tested in England and found to be unimpeachable.

Some large blasts of rock have been made to provide materials for the new harbor of refuge at Brest, as much as 100,000 cubic yards being thrown out at one time.

**Height of Adam and Eve.**

I have often wondered where M. Henrion, the French savant, got his data for the curious speculations he gives as to the height and other proportions of Adam and Eve. In his remarkable work, "The Degeneration of the Human Race," published in 1718, the learned academician gravely informs his readers that Adam was 123 feet and 9 inches in height, while his disobedient consort was but a paltry 118 feet from the sole of the foot to the crown of the head."

Of course all who have read very extensively of Talmudic literature or even Baring-Gould's "Legends of the Patriarch Prophets," remember the wonderful stories told of how Adam was made; of his gigantic size, and how, after the fall, his stature was reduced several miles by the offended God himself. The Talmud has this to say of Adam's height: "He was so tall that he stood with feet on earth and head in heaven until after God pressed him down at the time of the fall." Rabbi Jhuda says that when he lay on the earth "his body completely covered it."

Another Talmudic story says: "To judge how long he was, understand that his body stretched from one end of the earth to the other, and it takes a man 500 years to walk that distance. The angels were awed with wonder when they saw that gigantic human being and bowed before him, crying, 'Holy, holy, holy.' Then God reduced his size by cutting off great chunks of flesh." These are all absurd legendary stories of course; but where did Henrion get his figures for the 123-foot calculation mentioned in the opening?—St. Louis Republic.

**Wormlike Snakes.**

The wormlike snakes are called burrowing snakes, because they dwell under the surface of the ground and rarely appear above it, so that they live much as worms do. In accordance with this habit their body is cylindrical and they have a short head, rounded or pointed in front, and a short but strong tail. They are incased in a dense armor of smooth polished scales, which are of small size on the belly as well as on the back and sides. As might be expected, the eyes are rudimentary; and there are few teeth, in some forms the lower jaw and in others the upper one being edentulous.

Their food mostly consists of grubs, worms and burrowing insects. They are of small size, often from about five to ten inches long, though some forms attain two feet. There are nearly a hundred different species, which are generally distributed over the hotter portions of the globe in both hemispheres. Fourteen species are found in India, and one inhabits Cyprus and Greece.—Quarterly Review.

**A Peculiar Storm.**

Tuesday afternoon, during the rain and hailstorm, a storm cloud was observed a few miles south of this place that acted very strangely, to say the least. It was quite near the ground and seemed to be violently agitated. Suddenly the cloud seemed to burst asunder, one part going to the northwest and only forty or fifty feet from the earth. One of the sections passed over or through the tops of some tall poplar trees and shaved them off as if a gigantic mowing machine had passed that way. A heavy hailstorm also passed over a narrow strip of country near there, and at Sand slough there were piles of them still remaining in spots late Wednesday morning. Very little hail fell here and it was so small as to be scarcely noticeable.—Lemoore (Cal.) Leader.

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## VICTORIA VS. QUEBEC.

Over the initials T. B. H., a correspondent of Dominion Government Organ No. 1 calls attention to the success of the Frenchmen of Quebec, as compared with the residents of Victoria, in securing appropriations from the Conservative Government for public purposes. The writer says: "A calm perusal of these figures will convince the most sceptical that our members are not in it, to use a vulgarism, with 'Jean Baptiste.'" The figures quoted by T.B.H. show the gross revenues, salaries, etc., of the Quebec City and Victoria post-offices. While the business of our post-office is about equal to that of the ancient capital, the salaries paid to Mr. Shakespeare and his assistants do not aggregate half as much as do those paid in Quebec. The point is well taken, and we hope T.B.H., whose initials are those of an ex-President of the Victoria Conservative Association, will continue to think as he now does until after the next general election. We agree with him that Messrs. Prior and Earle are "not in it" with the less subservient French members of Quebec.

## WARM WORK.

It is to be feared, from evidence supplied by the present election campaign, that politics in England is losing something of its wonted dignity. Whether the leading place taken by the Irish question in the issues of the day has has anything to do with the fierceness of the conflict may be a debatable point, but it is at all events plain that certain people in England are not going to let the Irishmen have all the fun to themselves. As was extremely fitting, Cowentry led off with a rather embarrassing reception to Mr. Chamberlain, who was obliged to leave without being able to enlighten the unruly audience. He was also presented with an oleracean bouquet which was probably stronger scented than the average floral tribute seen on the stage. Then Stanley went into the wilds of Lambeth and met with a crowd which he found much harder to subdue than a tribe of Africans. Next a zealous Tory lady undertook to convince Mr. Gladstone that he was wrong by hitting him in the eye with a slab of gingerbread. The argument was probable as strong as the average argument to be used by the Tories throughout the contest, and certainly its application was very direct. Let us hope that none of the other arguments will do any more harm than that of the Chester lady. The Sheffield Radicals have been giving Mr. Balfour a reception similar to that of Mr. Chamberlain in Coventry, the leader of the House of Commons failing utterly to secure a hearing. Then the Tories of Salisbury town have played into the hands of their enemies by getting up a horrible cartoon on Mr. Gladstone, shocking decent people by their display of rancor. All this shows not only that the present contest is of unusual fierceness but that the tone of politics in England is far from improving. One great advantage which Great Britain has over the States is brought forth just now in very clear light; the electoral fight in the former will be of a few weeks' duration, while our American cousins have been at it already for months and will continue the war until November next, to the great unsettlement and injury to business.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Hon. George W. Ross, Minister of Education for the Province of Ontario, whose health is breaking down, is one of the ablest as he is one of the purest politicians in Canada. His trouble is rheumatism, with indications of the approach of facial paralysis. Owing to the state of his health and to avoid a complete breaking up, it is understood that he is about determined to resign and accept a registrarship or some office where he will have less worry. If he resigns, Hon. Mr. Gibson, provincial secretary, now in Victoria, will probably succeed him, and Chas. Mackenzie, brother of the late ex-premier, will likely get the provincial secretaryship.

The new president of the Farmers' Alliance of the United States, N. L. Loucks, of South Dakota, was postmaster at Hull, Que., in 1878, but when the Tories returned to power they dismissed him. He was compelled to emigrate, and became editor of a country newspaper in South Dakata. As President of the Farmers' Alliance he will take up his residence at Washington. The Tories of Canada have been the most successful emigration agents the United States have ever had.

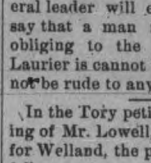
The Empire the other day undertook to represent Mr. Laurier as averse to been interviewed by reporters, and even as being discourteous to members of the press. Probably the only motive for this attack was the desire to say something against the Liberal leader every day, which desire seems to affect the chief Tory organ almost to the point of insanity. Its attempt this time called forth the following rebuke from the Toronto World, a fellow Conservative organ: "The writer who endeavors to make it appear that Mr. Laurier holds newspaper men in contempt has has a very unpromising job on hand. Pressmen who have in the course of their duties or otherwise met the Liberal leader will endorse us when we say that a man more courteous and obliging to the fraternity than Mr. Laurier is cannot be found. He could not be rude to anybody if he tried."

In the Tory petition for the unseating of Mr. Lowell, the Liberal member for Welland, the principal charge is as follows:—

And your petitioner further says that the voters' lists used by the said several deputy returning officers at the said election were not correct and authentic copies of the original lists of voters entitled to vote at the said election within the several polling subdivisions or polling districts of the said electoral district, nor were such voters' lists duly certified according to the statute in that behalf, but the names of divers persons not properly entitled to vote at the said election and whose names did not appear upon the original voters' lists of the said electoral district, and who voted for the said James Alfred Lowell, were improperly inserted in such voters' lists, and the names of divers other persons who were properly entitled to vote thereat and whose names appear upon the said original lists as finally revised were omitted from the said voters' lists, and by reason thereof the result of the said election was materially affected and the election of the said James Alfred Lowell should be declared null and void.

It is said that if the petitioner proves this charge Mr. Lowell will be unseated. Remembering that the machinery for the revision of the voters' lists is all under control of the men in power at Ottawa, and that they can secure by a wink of the other eye the commission of such irregularities as are alleged in the Welland petition, a rather startling state of affairs will be brought about if this petition succeeds. In short, the Franchise Act will then be pushed through to the utmost fulfilment of its originator's purpose, which was to keep Liberals out of Parliament.

## THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.



I OFTEN wonder why it is, in a city the size of Victoria, there are no facilities for obtaining a glass of water. The very pretty fountain at the junction of Government and Douglas streets, presented by Mr. Haywood, appears to have fallen into disuse. Yet the tired, hot and weary pedestrian would often hail with gladness the refreshing fluid which during the continuance of the present hot weather is as "nectar fit for the gods." In the interests of temperance, the W.C.T.U. should look to this. Horses, and even dogs, are cared for in this respect, but suffering humanity must still suffer. I should like public-spirited men to immortalize themselves in this way.

"Awake philanthropists, leave all meaner things
To low ambition and the pride of kings."

"They that go down to the sea in ships that do business in great waters," often get strange experiences, and can moralize upon the analogy to be found in the toilers of the deep and the toilers upon land. The last time the San Juan fishing fleet drew in their hooks they found seven immense sharks captured. This is the modus operandi. The fishers catch some herring and place them upon the hooks as bait for halibut; the halibut catch the herring and so get caught themselves; the sharks catch the halibut and in turn get impaled, and as herring, halibut and shark yield up their lives to stronger man, each in its turn utters the sentiment, "What a fool I was!" And I have heard the saying repeated a good many times upon the streets lately!!!

Talking of deep sea fisheries reminds me that our Yankee friends get labor troubles on the sea as well as ourselves. When the Carter went up last time to the fishing grounds they found that all the American boats' crews had struck in a body for higher wages, and so they had the field to themselves. Awkward predicament for the captain!

I listened, on Monday evening, to a very able paper by Mr. Frank Hedges, on "Imperial Federation," which no doubt was very convincing from an "Imperial Federationist" point of view. But these good folks forget that the petty trade of the colonies will never compensate for the immense loss Great Britain will sustain from the other markets of the world should she impose fiscal duties upon other countries' products, and any tariff imposed by Great Britain must enhance the cost of production, lessening its ability to compete, limiting its output and so inflicting untold loss upon its manufacturing interests. The labor classes, too, strongly object to the imposition of duties upon food products. The poor man's loaf untaxed is the rallying cry for free traders.

One thing I did agree with the writer in. He asserted that British Columbia lost more than she gained by Confederation, and between Confederation and Imperial Federation I would unhesitatingly choose the latter. Still the highest goal should be "free trade," "free land," "free schools," "civil and religious equality." QUIZ.

## PROVINCIAL NEWS.

*NANAIMO.*

NANAIMO, June 29.—Yesterday morning two longshoremen who reside together in a floating house and go by the names of Frank Payne and George Linden, had an altercation. They had both been drinking heavily, but knew, or appeared to know, what they were about. They commenced to fight, and Payne, who has the name of being a tough character, finding he was getting the worst of it, drew a knife and attempted to stab Linden in the abdomen. Fortunately for the latter, Payne missed his aim and the knife penetrated his coat, vest, pants and underclothing, and inflicted a slight skin wound. Linden made his escape and obtained the services of Constable McKinnon, and after swearing out a warrant against his assailant the latter was arrested and will be tried to-day.

On Monday night a colored woman who goes by the name of Miss Sallie Thomas, and who is known to be a disreputable character, was arrested on a warrant taken out by Chief Houston of New Westminster. It appears the woman a short time ago resided in Westminster, and on June 18th a woman named Nellie Parnell went on a spree and was unable to return home without assistance. Sallie Thomas offered her Samaritan services, and next morning Nellie found she was minus $500 which she had on her person the previous night. She placed the matter in Chief Houston's hand, and with Chief O'Connell's assistance the culprit was located here. She had opened a store in the city and also had a notice up that she took in washing. The prisoner was taken over to New Westminster to-day.

A serious accident occurred to Mr. Bailey, proprietor of a boarding house at north Wellington. Bailey and his wife had hired a horse and buggy for the purpose of coming to town. When the horse was hitched up he became restive and had not gone far before he bolted, upsetting the rig and throwing both occupants to the ground. Bailey had two ribs broken and was otherwise knocked about, while his wife remained unhurt. The unfortunate man was speedily conveyed home and the services of Drs. Eberts and McKechnie obtained.

A strawberry festival was given in the Baptist Church last evening by the ladies. Besides the repast of strawberries and cream, which by the way was very refreshing, a lengthy and well selected programme was submitted to a well filled house, and the repeated encores each artist received was sufficient to inform them that their efforts had the desired effect. The ladies served the strawberries and cream, and as there was an abundance there every one had all they desired. The proceeds will go towards the general funds of the church.

Two weddings took place in this city on Monday evening. One was Mr. G. Goodman to Miss Rannell. Both are well known and a host of friends poured in congratulations. The other was Mr. I. Snowden to Mrs. Ellen Webster, also favorably known in the city.

Mr. T. B. Pearson, of Victoria, has taken charge of the store known as "The Box." Mr. T. L. Brown, the late proprietor, having accepted the offer of 50 cents on the dollar for the unsecured creditors.

*NEW WESTMINSTER.*

The salmon catch was good yesterday.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the New Westminster Southern Railway Company, will be held at the secretary's offices on Tuesday, July 17.

The Westminster foundry and machine shops has received the contract for the iron work of the Burr-Guichon and Odd Fellows blocks.

Mr. Noel, city engineer, and Mr. Robson, city clerk, have had an interview with Mr. H Abbott, of the C. P. R., with regard to the right of way through the city, and it has been decided that Mr. Cambie, chief engineer of the Pacific division, will shortly go over the ground with the railway committee and city engineer and make an estimate of the cost of moving the railway yards to the reserve below the city.

H. Y. Thompson, Fairhaven, and Manager Shelby of the Great Northern, are in the city to arrange with the council regarding terminal facilities for their railway. It is reported that the Westminster & Vancouver Short Line Railway will be begun at once. It is an open secret that the Great Northern Railway will run to Vancouver over this line.

*VANCOUVER.*

VANCOUVER, June 29.—Dockendorff, the smallpox patient isolated on Mount Pleasant, died this morning. Last evening he was reported improving by the physician in attendance.

About one hundred friends of Mr. Keith attended the banquet last night at the Hotel Vancouver. The guest was highly lauded by all the speakers. In his reply Mr. Keith stated that it was his intention to stay with the town.

Chief of Police McLaren returned from Winnipeg to-day with McKeown, arrested on the charge of false pretences, getting passes, etc., by representing himself as an advance agent of Gilmore's band. He will be tried here.

The local committee of the North Pacific Regatta Association met last night. All arrangements were made for the regatta on the 12th and 13th of August. A big day is expected. Crews from Portland, Victoria and Vancouver will compete in the series of events. The Hotel Vancouver gives a $450 trophy, and many others are offered of lesser value.

J. W. Horne, M. P. P., is prosecuting parties for cutting timber on his land.


Irish's pine Montserrat lime juice, Rose's pure West Indian lime juice, and Thom and Campbell's lemon juice at R. H. Jameson's Red Front Store, 3 Fort street.

Our work advertises us. J. Wenger, watchmaker, 90 Government street.

## THE CITY AND DISTRICT

Sheffield cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

**High Grade Pianos.**

Newcombe pianos, six grades, just arrived at Kerr & Begg's bookstore, 45 Government street.

**New Goods.**

Just received, Sinclair's bacon, hams and lard, and Armour's 49'er hams and bacon at R. H. Jameson's Red Front, 33 Fort St.

**A Cheap Trip.**

The excursson on the steamer Yosemite on the 4th is a trip within the reach of all. The Port Angeles people are making extensive preparations to entertain.

**Summer Residence.**

Mr. L. Goodacre is erecting a summer residence at Oak Bay. It will be ready in a few days, when Mr. Goodacre and his family will go out to spend the summer.

**High Altar.**

The Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Co. commenced work to-day on the high altar in St. Andrew's cathedral. Is will be a fine piece of wore, and its erection will occupy several weeks.

**Leave on the Fifth.**

The Canada Western Railway engineers will leave Chicago on the 5th instead of the 4th, as previously published in the TIMES, and Col. Kane will go to Spokane to meet them.

**For the Navy.**

Three carloads of salt pork arrived from Kansas City last evening via the N.P.R. for Mr. H. Saunders. The pork is put up specially for the navy by the Armour Packing Company.

**Visitors Entertained.**

The visiting delegates of the Young People's Convention were entertained last evening by the Victoria members of the societies. They went up the Gorge, where a picnic was held.

**Manager Keith Resigns.**

Mr. James Cooper Keith, manager of the Bank of British Columbia at Vancouver, ceases his connection with the bank after the 30th inst. Mr. Geo. Gillespie will act as manager at Vancouver, pro tem.

**The Park Line.**

The first street car over the new Menzies-Niagara street line to the Park was operated to-day. The two streets are dusty and stony, and either the council or the company should improve their condition. The car service will be appreciated by the residents of that section of James Bay.

**Impure Water.**

At this season the greatest care should be exercised in obtaining pure water, which can be done only by using a first class filter. Owing to the large demand for these goods during the last week, the Sehl-Hastie-Erskine Co., have obtained a complete line of silicated carbon filters in all sizes and shapes at prices which put them within reach of all. Inspection solicited.

**Where Pleasure Reigned.**

The ball given last evening by Mrs. MacBean in St. James Hall was a most enjoyable affair. About thirty couples participated in the dancing. The programme of dances was varied enough to suit every taste, and the music supplied by the Bantly family was first rate. There was abundance of good cheer in the refreshment room, and this part of the evening's entertainment received a liberal share of notice. All present enjoyed themselves very much and pronounced the dance a decided success.

**Captain Jones Cased.**

A few friends of Captain Jones, of the bark Irvine, met at the Western hotel last evening for the purpose of bidding goodbye to the genial captain, who shortly leaves for Astoria with his ship. After the guests had enjoyed the hospitality of the landlord of the Western, ex-Alderman Robertson, in a neat and appropriate speech, presented Captain Jones with a handsomely engraved gold-headed cane. During his stay here Captain Jones has made many friends.

**The Nanaimo Case.**

J. P. Nolan, manager of the Canadian Co-Operative Supply Co., informs us that the charge against Geo. Hanly, at Nanaimo, was for stealing letters addressed to W. A. Nolan, the local agent of the company at that place. Hanly was only in the employ of the company about two weeks, and was only supposed to do business at Comox. The assertion that there are 135 members at Nanaimo and only one drawing a week, is incorrect. There are two separate clubs (watch and clothing) and both combined are less than 100.

**Sir William Wallace Society.**

At the regular half yearly meeting of the Sir William Wallace society last night in their own hall, Broad street, the following officers were elected: A. Maxwell Muir, chief, (re-elected); John Mackie, first chieftain; Joseph Mellon, second chieftain; W.C. Kerr, secretary; A. G. Hay, treasurer. Managing committee, A. G. Hay, R. H. Jameson, Joseph Mellon, W. C. Kerr and G. S. Adams. Auditors, Dr. Robert Hamilton and J. F. Smith. Trustees, Robert Jameson and John Mackie. Piper, John Taylor. The society is in a very prosperous state and is increasing in strength every month. The membership is large and enthusiastic. On Friday, Dominion Day, the society will attend the gathering of the clans at Nanaimo under the auspices of the Nanaimo Scots.

**Cruelty to Animals.**

A most disgraceful exhibition of cruelty to animals was witnessed by hundreds of passers by, on Yates street near Goverament yesterday afternoon. The driver of one of the drays which stand there for hire, for no apparent reason whatever, began to thrash one of his team, a fine black horse, most unmercifully. The animal of course reared and in other ways evinced the pain it was suffering, but the scoundrel who wielded the whip evidently took this as an exhibition of temper and laid on with redoubled fury until his arm tired out. It was an excellent case for prosecution in the police court, but the officers of the law were elsewhere. One gentleman, a witness of the brutal spectacle, said "It is too bad that sullen blackguards like that are allowed to have charge of such fine animals. The horse is the much more intelligent beast of the two."

**True Happiness.**

True happiness comes not from the outward world about us, not even from the mind, but from the heart, and perfect happiness is found while playing the popular Bush & Girt's piano. T. W. Fletcher, sole agent, 37 Fort St.

**Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Jubilee Hospital will be held at the city hall at 3 o'clock to-morrow. The reports of the treasurer, secretary and directors will be considered and new directors elected in place of those who retire.

**The Crofter Loan.**

Mr. J. B. McKilligan received a telegram from London last evening, stating that the Imperial Government had passed the bill granting a loan of £150,000 to the Provincial Government to aid the Crofter colonization scheme. Hon. J. H. Turner, the finance minister, has not yet received official notice of the passage of the bill.

**After Whiskey Sellers.**

For some time past the provincial police have been kept busy trying to avert the sale of liquor to Indians in Saanich district. Yesterday Officer McNeill went out and returned in the evening with an Indian who had been supplied, and who will be kept as a witness against the white man who supplied him. Officer McNeill chased the white man, but being afraid to loose the witness, without whom it would be useless to have the prisoner, he had to give up the chase. He went out again this morning after his man.

**Council of Thirty Years Ago.**

Of the first Victoria council, that of 1862, Mr. W. E. Stronach, now visiting the city, is one of the few surviving members. The council was composed as follows: Mayor Thos. Harris (dead); John Copland (supposed to be in Australia or New Zealand), Capt. J. M. Reid (dead), W. M. Searley (druggist, San Francisco), N. M. Hicks (dead), Richard Lewis (dead), and W. E. Stronach, who after a lapse of 30 years is again in the city. The city clerk's name was Austin, and his present residence, if alive, is unknown.

**The Halcyon.**

The junior morning paper says that the report that the Halcyon had been sold to Victorians was untrue. This was evidently written to make it appear that the story in the TIMES about the Halcyon being registered over the names of two Victorians was untrue. No one for a moment thought that the Victorians had purchased the Halcyon, the change was only one of those through which the Halcyon has frequently gone. One day one of the members of the opium "ring" owns her, the next day another member of the same gang is the registered owner. The fact of the case is that the Halcyon is now registered over the names of two Victorians, one a prominent young wholesale merchant and the other a well known saloon keeper, the most prominent members of the gang of course holding a mortgage on her.

**The Slaughterhouse Nuisance.**

Sergt. Langley, of the provincial police, having received many complaints in regard to the nuisance caused by Parker's slaughter-house on the Craigflower road, and Porter's slaughter-house on the Barnside road, sent officers out a few days ago to investigate. They report that Parker's slaughterhouse is in a terrible condition, and that Porter's is almost as bad. The nuisance at the latter could be remedied by a drain being built to carry off the filth, but the only remedy for the former seems to be to tear it down. The grand jury has frequently suggested that something be done to do away with the nuisances. The stench that salutes the nostrils of the traveller to Goldstream, when passing Parker's, is simply abominable. The wonder is that the owner can stand it himself.

**Genuine Artistic Talent.**

Three of the most meritable things in local art that have been shown lately are the water color and oil studies by Mr. Thomas Bamford, now attracting much attention at Messrs Hibben & Co's south window. Two are water colors, the third oil. One of the water colors is "A Cloudy Day in the Straits of San Juan de Fuca," a very fine piece of work. The troubled expanse of the straits in the foreground stretches off to the mountains, where the dark purple and dun clouds join them. From the sky, which is admirably treated, broad shafts of sunlight struggle to reach the heaving sea. The blending of light and shade and the truthfulness of the coloring are masterly. Another excellent study is the "Lone Pine on the Fraser." In this sketch the vast volume of the yellow Fraser is seen pouring its flood around a green point, from among the sedge and bushes on which shoots into the air a gigantic pine; with lightning-scathed head standing out against the summer sky and filmy clouds in lonely majesty. The peculiar littoral of the Fraser is faithfully reproduced; and there is a skill in the union of the colors and fidelity to nature that conceal the art that called them into existence. The study in oil is a familiar scene on the Colquitz River; a very pleasant bit of local scenery, but not the less beautiful for being local. These pictures would attract favorable attention anywhere, and certainly speak highly for the talent dwelling in Victoria. They are well fitted to adorn the stateliest home in this city. Mr. Bamford is busy upon several other studies of scenery around Victoria.

**The World Enriched.**

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Florence Marvin, the impressional reader, who predicted the Seattle fire, is at the Balmoral, rooms 36 and 37. She comes here indorsed by thousands of Seattle citizens, who have tested her wonderful power in the last seven years. Parties wishing to know their future had better consult her. j28-6t

## A WHALER'S STORY.

**The Crew of the American Brig Alexander, Wrecked on St. Paul's Island, Have a Hard Time.**

**They Lived a Crusoe Life for Months Ships of the U. S. Navy Left Them There to Starve.**

August Dardek, one of the wrecked crew of the American brig Alexander, who arrived in the city yesterday evening tells a strange story of privations, and also of the neglect of the U. S. cruisers to come to their rescue.

The brig Alexander, owned in San Francisco, in command of Captain Shorey, and having on board 26 seamen, was whaling in the northern seas, with not the best luck. On the 14th of April, Dardek says, the vessel ran on a reef near St. Paul Island and was wrecked. The officers and crew managed to make the island in safety, taking with them such provisions as they could tow in a small boat. A native, who drank too freely of some whisky he secured from the wreck, was the only one of the crew drowned.

For six weeks the men managed to subsist on what they brought from the wreck together with what game and shellfish they could secure along the island. The United States man-of-war Yorktown, and the revenue cutter Bear, were cruising in the vicinity of the island during the first week of June but Dardek says, would have nothing to do with the wrecked mariners, though they were in a half starved condition.

On the 6th of June the North America Commercial company's steamer came to their rescue, taking them to Ounalaska, where they were left on the beach to shift for themselves. A week later the same vessel brought the crew of the wrecked whaler to Port Townsend where they arrived last Saturday.

Complaint will be made to the U. S. naval department regarding the conduct of the officers of the Bear especially, which vessel it is claimed should have rescued the wrecked sailors.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT ECHOES.

**A Chinatown Blaze This Morning Creates Some Stir.**

An alarm of fire, turned in from box 25, corner of Fisgard and Government streets, this morning at 11:09 brought the fire department to the scene inside of two minutes. There was no blaze. A Chinaman had forgotten to clean out his chimney for the last fifteen years or so, and a festive little spark, aching for something to do, started in to clean it for him. There was a great deal of smoke from the smouldering soot, but a couple of squirts from the Babcock produced a soothing effect. The hose which had been laid down was also turned on briefly, and there was consternation in Chinatown for the space of five minutes. It was a decided case of cruelty to animals to pour the cold, clean water over the poor yellowmen, although it was done accidentally. They gasped with indignation and disgust as the strange, unwonted fluid hit them on the face and paws. The shanty in which the fire happened was not damaged beyond some of the dirt being washed off, but it is understood this will be replaced as early as possible.

Sergt. Hawton and Officer Walker put out a fire on the Herald street sidewalk yesterday morning. The destroying element was getting on nicely until tramped out by the vigilant constables. A "five" cigar stub is suspected to have originated this fire.

At 1 o'clock this morning Officers Hunter and McNeil, of the provincial police, extinguished a fire in a small shed at the rear of Dr. Davie's office on Bastion street. The fire was caused by workmen leaving hot coals in a forge. When the officers arrived the fire was burning briskly, and would soon have had a good hold on the adjoining building.

Information was received at fire headquarters this morning that the combined chemical engine and hose wagon for the Victoria Fire Department was shipped from Toronto on the 18th inst. The machine was tested by Chief Ardagh, of Toronto, and found satisfactory in every respect.

The department turned out on Government street last night to test hydrants. The streams were weak and would be useless in case of a large fire. After the hydrant drill the John Grant was sent for, and two good streams were thrown over the high buildings. The firemen consider that something should be done to prevent people using water for sprinkling during the warm weather. The stream thrown from hydrants last night reached thirty feet, and would have no effect if taken to the roof of a three-storey building. The water would merely dribble out of the nozzle and drop at the hoseman's feet.

**Y. M. I. Picnic.**

Seghers Council, No. 85, will hold a picnic at Oak Bay on Dominion Day, July 1st. The tramway company will put on extra cars for the occasion. The first car will leave the corner of Government and Fort streets at 9 a.m. Refreshments and ice cream will be served at reasonable rates on the grounds. Admission to the pavilion, where there will be dancing in the afternoon and evening, will be 25 cents. A splendid programme of sports has been arranged and gate prizes will be drawn for. A real good time is assured, for the Y.M.I. boys are known for their entertaining qualities. They will no doubt be well patronized.

**An Old Victorian.**

Dr. Stronach and Mr. W. E. Stronach of Annapolis, N.S., brothers of the late A. V. Stronach, arrived in the city several days ago, for the purpose of winding up the affairs of their deceased brother. Mr. W. E. Stronach was a member of the first city council for Victoria, elected in 1862. He was also a member of the council of 1863, when the late Thomas Harris was mayor. Mr. Stronach has been around renewing old acquaintances.

**Fifty Fair Forms and Faces.**

The Creole beauty show at the Victoria theatre Friday and Saturday nights is certain to draw together a crowded house. The praise bestowed upon this attractive group of artists in the eastern press is enough to show that it is a perfect cake capturer. Ordinary prices to rule in spite of the certainty of a packed house.

## AT THE POLICE COURT.

**A Prominent Business Man Charged With Defrauding Indians.**

Max Katzauer, with J. & W. Boscowitz, fur dealers, etc., was summoned before Magistrate Macrae this morning, charged with unlawfully and knowingly defrauding Jager White and George White, two Port Simpson Indians, out of the sum of $80 by representing $5 gold pieces as $10, and paying the complainants $180 for 10 bear skins when he should have paid $260. Mr. Walls appeared for the prosecution. The defendant asked for an adjournment to obtain counsel. This application was granted, the court requiring the defendant to give bail in the sum of $200 and two sureties of $100 each.

Jim Kee admitted damaging a swing at Beacon Hill Park to the extent of $2. As this offence is becoming a common one, the court imposed a fine of $3, $2 damages and $2.50 interpreter's fees. The money was paid.

The Heath case was further adjourned for a day to obtain witnesses.

## HON. J. M. GIBSON.

**The Provincial Secretary of Ontario on a Pleasure Trip.**

The Hon. J. M. Gibson, provincial secretary in the Mowat Government and representative for Hamilton, is a guest at the Dallas, where he will remain until to-morrow night.

To a TIMES reporter Mr. Gibson said his visit was purely for the benefit of his health, which had been shaken up very much of late.

"I have enjoyed the trip immensely," he added, "and am more than delighted with British Columbia and with your city."

Asked as to the correctness of the report that Hon. Mr. Ross's ill-health would compel his withdrawal from the Government, Mr. Gibson said: "Yes, my friend Ross is ill. In answer to a telegram from me while at Banff, I learned that there was unfortunately a good deal of truth in the newspaper reports, and I suppose if his condition does not improve it may be that he will seek renewed health by resting for a time. The duties of his position are so onerous and exacting, and Mr. Ross has been such a hard worker, that it is not much wonder that the strain is beginning to tell upon him."

Mr. Gibson is lieutenant-colonel of the 13th battalion, and has been to Wimbledon as the commander of the Canadian team.

## THE SALMON PACK.

**A Small Catch, and Consequenlty High Prices Expected.**

In conversation with a prominent Fraser river canner this afternoon a member of the TIMES staff gleaned a few facts about that important industry. The price of salmon will be high this year on account of the small pack. The Alaska canneries are reducing their pack one-third, and the Columbia pack is almost a total failure. On the Fraser, this being one of the poorest years, the pack will also fall far below the average. The London prices are expected to range well up to the twenty-nine shilliugs realized some years ago.

The run of red spring salmon this year has been the largest seen in the Fraser for many years, and has made business rather more brisk than was expected. The heavy run of white salmon which came earlier in the year, and which the Columbian attributed to the hatchery, did not last long. The Fraser canners have made satisfactory arrangements for the disposal of this season's pack. The salmon canners want the government to institute investigation into the habits of the red spring salmon and find out where it goes after it leaves the Fraser and large fishing streams.

The canners feel annoyed at the stupidly blind way in which the government goes about this part of its business; the amount of red tape and small quantity of brains brought to bear in the matter makes people interested feel tired.

"The representatives of the province at Ottawa are worse than nonentities," said the canner. "They block progress when the House wants to do something for this section of the Dominion. The grievances of the canners call aloud for redress, and the way the government has ignored them is shameful."

**In Chambers.**

Coombes vs. Fletcher for discovery of affidavits. Order made, discovery to be made within 14 days.

Braverman vs. Lindsay & Stevens for discovery of documents and examination of defendant Stevens. Order made.

**The Douglas.**

The Sir James Douglas leaves in the morning for the Fraser River banks, to place marks for beacons on the western edge of them, and also to buoy the North Arm. She will call at Discovery Island on the way to land some lumber for the lighthouse.

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McLEAN & STEWART.
Dated the 25th March, 1892. mh26-tf

# NADA THE LILY.

By H. RIDER HAGGARD.

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## CHAPTER XV.

UMSLOPOGAAS BECOMES CHIEF OF THE PEOPLE OF THE AX.

*Full on its hide the huge club fell.*

Now when Umslopogaas and Jikiza the Unconquered had come to the cattle kraal they were set in its center.

Now the word was given. Jikiza rushed on Umslopogaas roaring, for his rage was great. But Umslopogaas did not stir till his foe was about to strike. Then suddenly he leaped aside, and as Jikiza passed he smote him hard upon the back with the flat of his ax, making a great sound. The heart of Jikiza nearly burst with rage because of the shame of that blow, and once more rushed at Umslopogaas, who lifted his shield to meet him. Then of a sudden, just when the great ax leaped on high, Umslopogaas uttered a cry as of fear, and turning fled, and after him rushed Jikiza, blind with fury. Round and about the kraal sped Umslopogaas, scarcely a spear's length ahead of Jikiza, and he ran keeping his back to the sun as much as it might be, that he might watch the shadow of Jikiza. A second time he sped around, ever faster and faster, drawing Jikiza after him.

Now when Umslopogaas knew by the breathing of his foe and by the staggering of his shadow that his strength was spent, he stumbled out of the path far to the right, and let drop his great shield full in the way of Jikiza's feet. Then it came about that Jikiza, rushing blindly on, caught his feet in the shield and fell headlong to earth. Umslopogaas saw, and swooped on him like an eagle on a dove. Before men could so much as think he had seized the ax Groanmaker, and with a blow of the steel he held had severed the thong of leather which bound it to the wrist of Jikiza, and had sprung back, holding the great ax aloft and casting down his own weapon upon the ground. Slowly Jikiza gathered himself from the ground, and as he rose he grasped the little ax of Umslopogaas, and looking at it he wept. But Umslopogaas held up the great Groanmaker, the iron chieftainess, and examined its curved points of blue steel, the gouge that stands behind it and the beauty of its haft, bound about with wire of brass and ending in a knob like the knob of a stick, as a lover looks upon the beauty of his bride. Then, before all men, he kissed the broad blade and cried aloud:

"Greeting to thee, my chieftainess; greeting to thee, wife of my youth, whom I have won in war! Never shall we part, thou and I, and together will we die, thou and I, for I am not minded that others should handle thee when I am gone."

Thus he cried; then turned to Jikiza.

"Where now is your pride, O Unconquered?" laughed Umslopogaas. "Fight on. You are as well armed as I was awhile ago, when I did not fear to stand before you."

Jikiza looked at him for a moment, then with a curse he hurled the little ax at him, and turning fled swiftly toward the gates of the cattle kraal.

Umslopogaas stooped and the little ax sped over him. With a roar he leaped forward, and so fast did his feet fly that the watchers scarcely could see them move. Jikiza fled fast also, yet he seemed but as one who stands still. Now he reached the gate of the kraal; now there was a rush, a light of downward falling steel, and Jikiza fell in the gateway of the cattle kraal, smitten to death by that mighty ax Groanmaker, which he and his fathers had held for many years.

A great shout went up from the crowd of watchers, and there were many who hailed Umslopogaas, naming him chief and lord of the People of the Ax. But the sons of Jikiza to the number of ten, great men and brave, rushed on Umslopogaas to kill him. Umslopogaas ran backward, lifting up the Groanmaker, when certain councilors of the people flung themselves between them, crying, "Hold!"

"Is not this your law, ye councilors," said Umslopogaas, "that having conquered the chief of the People of the Ax, I myself am chief?"

"That is our law, indeed, stranger," answered an aged councilor, "but this also is our law, that now you must do battle, one by one, with all who come against you."

"I have nothing to say against the rule," said Umslopogaas. "Now who is there who will come up against me to do battle for the ax Groanmaker and the chieftainship of the People of the Ax?"

Then all the ten sons of Jikiza stepped forward as one man, for because of the death of their father, and because the chieftainship had gone from their race, they cared little if they lived or died.

Umslopogaas counted them. "There are ten, by the head of Chaka!" he cried. "Now if I must fight all these one by one no time will be left to me this day to talk of the matter of Masilo and of the maid Zinita. Hearken! What say you, sons of Jikiza the Conquered? If I find one other to stand beside me in the fray, and all of you come on at once against us twain—ten against two—to slay us or be slain, will that be to your minds?"

"So be it," they said, and the councilors assented.

Now Umslopogaas called aloud that he whom he should choose and who would stand back to back with him in the fray, if victory were theirs, should be the first after him among the People of the Ax. And as he called he walked slowly down the line scanning the faces of all, till he came to where Galazi stood, leaning on the Watcher.

"Here is a great fellow who bears a great club," said Umslopogaas. "How are you named, fellow?"

"I am named Wolf," said Galazi.

"Say now, Wolf, are you willing to stand back to back with me in this fray of two against ten?"

"Better I love the wild woods and the mountain's breast than the kraals of men and the kiss of wives, Axbearer," answered Galazi. "Yet, because you have shown yourself a warrior of might, and to taste again of the joy of battle, I will stand back to back with you, Axbearer, and see this matter ended."

"A bargain, Wolf!" cried Umslopogaas, and they walked side by side to the center of the cattle kraal.

Then the pair took their stand back to back in the center of the kraal, and people saw that Umslopogaas held the ax in a new fashion, its curved blade being inward, toward his breast, and the hollow point turned toward the foe. The ten brethren gathered themselves together, shaking their assegais; five of them stood before Umslopogaas and five before Galazi the Wolf.

Meanwhile an aged man drew near to speak the word of onset. It was that same man who had set out the law to Umslopogaas. He must give the signal by throwing up a spear, and when it struck the ground, then the fight should begin. The old man took the spear and threw it, but his hand was weak, and he cast so clumsily that it fell among the sons of Jikiza, who stood before Umslopogaas, causing them to open up to let it pass between them, and drawing the eyes of all ten of them to it. But Umslopogaas watched for the touching of the spear only, being careless where it touched. As the point of it kissed the earth he said a word, and lo! Umslopogaas and Galazi sprang forward. While the ten stood confused, the Wolf Brethren were on them. Groanmaker was up, but as for no great stroke. He did but peck, as a bird pecks with his bill, and yet a man dropped dead. The Watcher also was up, but he fell like a falling tree and was the death of one. Through the lines of the ten passed the Wolf Brethren in the gaps that each had made. Then they turned swiftly and charged toward each other again. Again Groanmaker pecked, again the Watcher thundered, and lo! once more Umslopogaas and Galazi stood back to back, unhurt. But before them lay four men dead.

The onslaught and the return were so swift that those of the sons of Jikiza who were left stared at each other wondering. Then they knew that they were but six, for four of them were dead. With a shout of rage they rushed upon the pair from both sides, but in either case one was the most eager and outstepped the other two, and thus it came about that time was given the Wolf Brethren to strike at him alone before his fellows were at his side. He who came at Umslopogaas drove at him with his spear, but he was not to be caught thus, for he bent his middle sidewavs so that the spear only cut his skin, and as he bent tapped with the point of the ax at the head of the smiter, dealing death on him.

"Yonder Woodpecker has a bill of steel and he can use it well," said the councilor to him who stood by him.

"This is a Slaughterer indeed," the man answered, and the people heard the names. Thenceforth they knew Umslopogaas as the Woodpecker, or as Buffalo, or the Slaughterer, and by no other names. Now he who came at Galazi the Wolf rushed on wildly, holding his spear short. But Galazi was cunning in war. He took one step forward to meet him, then swinging the Watcher backward he let him fall at the full length of arms and club. The child of Jikiza lifted his shield to catch the blow, but the shield was to the Watcher what a leaf is to the wind. Full on its hide the huge club fell. The shield doubled up and he who bore it fell crushed to earth.

Now for a moment the four who were left of the sons of Jikiza hovered around the pair, feinting at them from afar, but never coming within reach of ax or club. One threw a spear indeed, and though Umslopogaas leaped aside, and as it sped toward him smote the haft in two with the blade of Groanmaker, yet its head flew on, wounding Galazi in the flank. Then he who had thrown the spear turned to fly, and the others followed swiftly, for they dared to do battle with these two no more.

"It seems that none are left for us to kill, Galazi," said Umslopogaas, laughing aloud. "Ah, that was a cunning fight! Ho! you sons of the Unconquered, who run so fast, stay your feet. I give you peace. You shall live to sweep my huts, and to plow my field with the other women of my kraal. Now, councilors, the fighting is done, so let us to the chief's hut, where Masilo waits us;" and he turned and went with Galazi.

When he reached the hut Umslopogaas sat himself down in the place where Jikiza had sat that morning, and the maid Zinita came to him with a wet cloth and washed the wound that the spear had made. He thanked her. Then she would have washed Galazi's wound also, and that was deeper, but Galazi bade her to let him be, roughly, as he would have no woman meddling with his wounds.

Then Umslopogaas spoke to Masilo the Pig, who sat before him with a frightened face, saying: "It seems, O Masilo, that you have sought this maid Zinita in marriage and against her will, persecuting her. Now, I had intended to kill you as an offering to her anger, but there has been enough blood letting today. Yet you shall give a marriage gift to this girl, whom I myself will take in marriage. You shall give a hundred head of cattle. Then get you gone from among the People of the Ax lest a worse thing befall you."

So Masilo paid the hundred head of cattle and fled toward the kraal of Chaka.

Umslopogaas became chief over this people, and none dared to gainsay him. From time to time, indeed, a man ventured to stand up before him in fight, but none could conquer him.

Galazi also was great among the people, but dwelt with them little, for best he loved the wild woods and the mountain's breast, and often, as of old, he swept at night across the forest and the plains, and the howling of the ghost wolves went with him.

But henceforth Umslopogaas the Slaughterer hunted very rarely with the wolves at night. He slept at the side of Zinita, and she loved him much and bore him children.

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H. M. YATES,
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57 Government street.
Victoria, B.C., 13th June, 1892.

NOTICE.

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By order, B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., June 20, 1892.

NOTICE.

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| | Ar. 12:30 P M | Ar. 8:00 P M | 78 |
| | 12:30 | 7:56 | 71 |
| | 12:10 | 7:48 | 65 |
| | 11:45 A M | 7:25 | 58 |
| | 11:30 | 6:59 | 51 |
| | 10:50 | 6:27 | 43 |
| | 10:27 | 6:15 | 39 |
| | 10:17 | 6:00 | 35 |
| | 10:02 | 5:38 | 30 |
| | 9:36 | 5:14 | 25 |
| | De. 8:30 | Ar. 4:30 P M | 19 |
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| STATIONS | Miles from Victoria. |
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| VICTORIA | 1 |
| RUSSELL'S | 11 |
| ESQUIMALT | 15 |
| BOLDSTREAM | 18 |
| SUMMIT SIDING | 22 |
| COBBLE HILL | 25 |
| McPHERSON'S | 32 |
| KORSILAH | 36 |
| DUNCAN'S | 40 |
| SOMENOS | 49 |
| CHEMAINUS | 59 |
| OYSTER BAY SIDING | 73 |
| NANAIMO | 78 |
| WELLINGTON | 81 |

| NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN. | No. 2 Passenger Daily. | No. 4 Passenger Friday, Sat. and Sun. | Miles from Victoria. |
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| | De. 8:30 A M | De. 3:30 P M | 1 |
| | 8:04 | 3:08 | 11 |
| | 8:14 | 3:16 | 15 |
| | 8:19 | 3:36 | 18 |
| | 8:44 | 4:04 | 22 |
| | 9:07 | 4:27 | 25 |
| | 9:44 | 4:49 | 32 |
| | 10:07 | 4:59 | 36 |
| | 10:13 | 5:04 | 40 |
| | 10:23 | 5:13 | 49 |
| | 10:38 | 5:29 | 59 |
| | 11:00 | 5:49 | 73 |
| | Ar. 11:30 | De. 6:22 | 81 |
| | De. 12:15 P M | Ar. 6:30 | 81 |

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## THE OKANAGAN LAKE.

### Its Increasing Importance—The New Town of Kelowna as a Summer Resort.

### Its Beautiful Location on the Lake—The Fruit-Growing Possibilities of the District.

Special Correspondence of the TIMES.]

KELOWNA, June 27, 1892.—In my last your readers were furnished with detailed information regarding that part known as the Spullumcheen valley, which extends 30 miles south from Sicamous. From that it is named the Okanagan valley to the terminus of the railway, at the head of the beautiful lake, the future important and rapidly developing trade of which is fully recognized and appreciated by the C.P. R. having no less than five side tracks at this point, as the greater quantity of freight to be handled at one station on the line will have to be transhipped there. The trade of the mining districts south of the boundary line will also to a great extent be controlled by this route, if reasonable rates are given, and for tourists and pleasure seekers it has great attractions to recommend it. The new hotel, named "The Kalemalka," recently opened at Vernon, three miles from the head of the lake, will meet all the requirements of this class. Few towns of greater pretensions can boast of such an edifice, and it is certainly a credit. The general outside appearance resembles a handsome residence, and the interior is fitted up almost luxuriously. The traveller should not fail to take a trip down the far-famed Okanagan lake. The steamer Penticton, Captain Leguime, leaves on the arrival of the train on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, returning on the afternoon of the following days to connect with the train leaving for Vancouver. Next season larger and more commodious boats will be placed on the route. At present the accommodation, although comfortable, is rather limited, but the enterprising owners are fitting up a large scow, with awning, etc., by which a large excursion party can be carried advantageously to enjoy the charming scenery, and will, I understand, be ready to meet the excursion train which leaves Vancouver on the 15th July for Vernon. This will likely be followed by other excursions during the season. There is no doubt this will become one of the most popular and attractive of tourist routes. At Kelowna, formerly known as the Mission valley landing, about 35 miles down the lake, a new town has been started, the location of which, it may be confidently asserted, cannot be excelled anywhere for the beauty of its scenery. Situated on an extensive flat, and immediately on the lake, with a fine beach and magnificent view all round, it may well be termed the garden town of British Columbia. Within a mile is the large estate recently purchased by Lord Aberdeen, where many men are employed in the extensive horticultural and agricultural operations now going on. About 100 acres are planted in fruit trees and hops, and a very handsome farm residence is in the centre—everything systematically conducted under a superintendent and foremen. The property was selected by his lordship on account of its excellent soil and charming surroundings, the scenery of the lake resembling Loch Lomond in Scotland. Although this new townsite has not many days of existence, it possesses a large saw mill in operation, and a hotel of very handsome appearance, which will be opened in a few weeks. Situated almost on the lake shore it commands a splendid view and will become a great summer resort. The proprietor, Mr. McDonald, formerly of the Victoria hotel, Vernon, is well known as a "good hotel man," and will look after the comforts of the weary traveller seeking rest and retirement in this lovely spot. Boats will also be kept for those desiring to enjoy the splendid trout fishing for which Okanagan Lake is so famous. Among the other buildings in progress are a livery stable, which will be a convenience for those wishing to see the country. At the wharf there is a commodious storehouse. The size of the town lots are 50x125 feet; the price and terms being very liberal to parties building. It is well laid out, the principal streets and avenues being 100 feet wide, and being the natural shipping and distributing point for the extensive valley, will without doubt become an important town on the lake. The land surrounding has been divided into 10 and 20 acre lots or more for residence property, and fruit, hop and dairy farms. These will also be sold reasonable and on easy terms. Almost the entire district outside of Lord Aberdeen's property will be subdivided into small farm and orchard blocks, to suit new settlers. Among many of the older ones fruit growing has commenced in earnest, several having put in 16 to 20 acres during the past spring, and all the trees planted are thriving beyond expectation. The bearing orchards promise an enormous yield of fruit. There is no doubt that in the near future an immense revenue will be derived from this industry, without any fear of overstocking the market, as Manitoba and the Northwest offer an almost illimitable one, and a large fruit cannery will soon be erected, no doubt to be followed by more as the industry developed. The enterprise shown by Lord Aberdeen in this direction, proves his faith in the country, and will contribute greatly to attract attention to it abroad.

The quality and flavor of the fruits already grown are far superior to anything of the kind in California, and as the growth of almonds has proved successful here, so also will different varieties of grapes, and as experiments succeed we may hope in a few years to see the beautiful valleys covered with orchards and vineyards for which the climate and soil is so well adapted. The cereal crops do equally well; indeed there is no better wheat grown in any part of the world. The prize medal of the Antwerp exhibition in 1888 was awarded to Mr. Brent, J. P., an old and respected settler of the Mission valley. Summer frosts are unknown, in fact the immunity from the natural causes of failure by which farming is commonly beset is a distinguishing feature of the Okanagan district, hitherto comparative undeveloped, which is not surprising considering the isolated circumstances that stock raising became the predominent interest, but now, having direct connection with the outside world, all that is changed, and the famous Okanagan Mission valley, as well as others, are now entering upon an era of great prosperity and development.

The comparatively limited area of farming lands in other accessible parts of British Columbia, gives the acreage of the farmer or fruit-grower a relatively higher value than where the land is plentiful and competition keen, therefore with the increase of settlers to these attractive valleys, the holdings must naturally rise in proportion. Hence great opportunities are now offered, and those who go in early will have the best chance, as in all new places, to become rich. The particular recommendations the Mission Valley possesses for desirable residence are its picturesque scenery, fertile soil, delightful climate, and the excellent sport—hunting, shooting and fishing. I must not omit to mention, for the information of some of your young enterprising medicos, that there is a good opening in the Okanagan Mission Valley, there being no doctor nearer than Vernon, a distance of over 30 miles. The enterprising Lequime Bros. are the owners of the new townsite at the landing. They are also proprietors of the flour and saw mills and the steamer Penticton. Land is offered for sale with great inducements to actual settlers and in quantities to suit. Any of your readers desiring further information should address the manager of the Okanagan Colonization Agency at Kelowna, Okanagan Mission P. O. This office will shortly be removed to the new townsite. T.S.

### Balfour's Wild Meeting.

LONDON, June 28.—The electoral campaign is opening amid the greatest excitement. Balfour spoke at Sheffield to-day, and 15,000 persons were present at the meeting. At the beginning of his speech, Mr. Balfour was continually interrupted with cheers and groans. Finally he expressed regret for the deplorable accident that had occurred to Mr. Gladstone. This caused the uproar to increase, and finally the noise became so great that Balfour could not be heard. The crowd made several attempts to rush upon the platform and the police had the utmost difficulty in repulsing them. Several women were extricated from the crowd in a fainting condition. The meeting terminated in the wildest disorder.

### Tribesmen Defeat the Ameer's Army.

SIMLA, June 27.—Matters are assuming a critical phase in Afghanistan. The ameer recently dispatched a force against the kahn of Iandol and the other kahns, under the commander-in-chief of the army, General Hyder. It is now announced that the ameer's army was defeated. To make the situation worse the tribesmen cut off Hyder's communication with Afghanistan. The Allahabad Pioneer says the Afghans lost 1,000 killed and wounded in the recent fighting against Hazardez. The Pioneer also says it is not true that the ameer of Afghanistan has sought English aid, although it admits that his defeat will induce him to seek an amicable settlement.

### The Chambers of Commerce Congress.

LONDON, June 28.—The chief interest in the debate in to-day's session of the Imperial Chambers of Commerce Congress centered in Mr. Medley's free trade resolution. Hon. C. H. Tupper moved as an amendment to Mr. Medley's resolution, the resolution adopted by the Montreal Chamber of Commerce, declaring that free trade would paralyze the trade of the Dominion and place it at the mercy of the United States. Sir Donald A. Smith seconded the amendment, and Mr. Wood, of Hamilton, was the only Canadian delegate who opposed it. The debate was adjourned before a vote was reached.

### Cable Jottings.

BERLIN, June 28.—The Freisinnige Zeitung, edited by Eugene Richter, will be prosecuted for "lese majeste." Its offence was saying that the Emperor was liable for a fine for shooting deer out of season. Proceedings have been begun.

PARIS, June 28.—The proposal to defer the Berlin exhibition until 1900 has given a new impetus to the plan for a Paris exhibition in that year. The organizers of the preliminary plan are exerting themselves to secure the approval of the Government and the manufacturers.

MUNICH, June 28.—Prince Bismarck has confirmed the statement that he requested an interview with the Emperor Franz Joseph, and the latter refused to grant the request.

*THE SINGULAR HEADLINES.*

TO THE EDITOR:—The Colonist this morning draws attention to the singularity of the headlines announcing the suicide at Vancouver. It says the Westminster Columbian had "One More Unfortunate;" the Vancouver Telegram, "Gone to her Death;" and the Victoria Colonist, "Rashly Importunate;" but that is where the Colonist is mistaken, for its heading was "Rashly Unfortunate." Probably the same gentleman who makes the statement that these quotations are from a poem by Tom Moore wrote that headline. "A party by the name of" Tom Hood is responsible for the fantastic piece. The Colonist gentleman should stick to "flaming" headlines and leave the "singular" ones alone. Boz.

Victoria June 29.

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J. M. MURDOCH,
Secretary.
je17-td

PICNIC.

The annual Picnic of the Saanich Agricultural Society will take place on July 1st, on their grounds near the Hall. Music will be furnished by a first-class band.
W. A. ARMSTRONG,
Secretary.
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Dec. 30.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership lately existing between the undersigned Alexander Phillips and Phillip A. Phillips, as soda water manufacturers at No. 8 Yates street, Victoria, under the firm or style of "Phillips & Son," is dissolved as from this date by mutual consent, and the business will henceforth be carried on by the said Phillip A. Phillips and David A. Phillips under the firm or style of "Phillips Brothers," and they will pay all claims against both firms. All debts due to the firm are to be paid to them.

Dated this 20th day of June, 1892.

A. PHILLIPS.
PHIL. A. PHILLIPS.
DAVID A. PHILLIPS.

Witness:
C. DUBOIS MASON.
je21-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date application will be made by the undersigned to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for permission to erect and extend a wharf on Lots 539 A and 540 A, fronting on James Bay, Victoria Harbor. Plans showing situation of proposed wharf have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works and in the Land Registry office at Victoria, B.C.

GEO. STELLY.
T. F. SINCLAIR.
Victoria, June 8th, 1892. je9-30t

NOTICE.

A QUANTITY of my personal papers, letters and other documents having been, on Saturday last thrown out of the window of my office, Turner Block, will any person who may have picked any of them up, kindly return them to me, and oblige

JOHN GRANT.
je20

Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deans and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
63 Government Street, Victoria.
Victoria, B. C., June 2, 1892. ju7-tf

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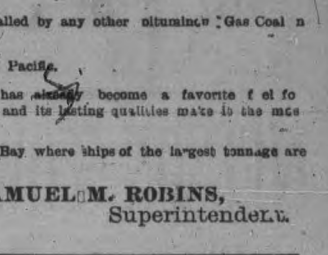

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Dec. 30.

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### SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE WHEEL.

THE HANDICAP RACES.

There were not many at the Wanderers races held at the Driving Park last night, although the wheeling was the best of the season. All the riders were mounted on pneumatic wheels, and considering the track, made splendid time. The first event was the one mile, in which B. Tiedeman, 10 yards; E. Bradley, 25 yards; and W. J. Jeffree, scratch, started. Jeffree worked hard from the start and caught the others at the half-mile. Tiedeman made the pace, but worked too hard to finish well, and Bradley surprised every one by passing him. Jeffrees came in first in 3:27 and Bradley a second later. The two mile was a hard race. Tiedeman had 100 yards and Moody 125 yards start of Jeffree. The latter rider worked as he never did before, and caught the field at the first mile. Then followed one of the prettiest races ever seen in the city. Moody led till the last quarter, when he felt the effects of his accident at Vancouver, and could not keep up the pace. Tiedeman made a bid for first place, crossing the line only half a wheel behind Jeffree, with Moody a game third. Time 7:11.

Bradley and Tiedman are talking of going to Tacoma on the 4th to participate in the races there.

T. G. Moody says he will have a Humber pneumatic for next season that will be equal to Turner's.

An exchange says one of the sights of the Bois de Boulogne in Paris is the spectacle of the English ambassador, Lord Dufferin, on his bicycle, accompanied by his son and an escort of attaches.

THE OAK.

FOUR-OARED RACE TO-NIGHT.

The race between the two picked crews of the James Bay Athletic Association will be rowed to-night instead of Friday night as first arranged. The start will take place promptly at 7.30 from the match factory and by the shortest cut to the club house. The teams are as follows: No. 1, J. W. Wilson, stroke; H. F. Howett, Edward Brown, J. Watson. No. 2, D. Sullivan, stroke; F. Finlayson, A. Wolfenden, J. Jones. Both crews are in first-class training and it would be hard to pick the winner. It is hoped that pleasure boats will give way a little this evening to let the competing boats pass.

LACROSSE.

The senior team to represent the Victoria Lacrosse Club was selected this afternoon. The players are: C. Blain, goal; Ross Eckhart, point; C. L. Cullin, cover point; A. Belfry, F. Grant, J. McLeod, defence field; W. F. Blight, centre; A. Kenning, W. E Ditchburn, C. Van Allen, home field; R. Frost, outside home; Geo. Tite, inside home; W. Clark, spare man; and W. H. Cullin, field captain. Dan Tudhope, who is one of the best home players of the club, was selected on the team, but declined to act.

The following players have been selected to represent the club on the second team:—Fairall, goal; J. Drysdale, point; D. Patterson, cover point; J. Sprinkling, D. J. King, F. Cullin, defence field; T. Cusack, centre; R. W. Clarke, J. Jackson, J. Miller, home field; A. Hardie, outside home; Chas. McNeil, inside home; Douglas, spare man; W. J. Drysdale, field captain.

CRICKET.

The following team from the Albion Cricket Club will play the Westminster team on July 1st, and the Hastings team on the 2nd:—J. L. Medway, F.W. Thomas, J. W. Sinclair, H. J. Martin, F. G. Fowkes, G. A. Maltby, L. H. Hardie, W. H. Pegram, E. A. Pauline, C. Schwengers, H. F. Hewett; umpire, P. Schwengers.

BASEBALL.

The V.A.C.'s are talking of celebrating the 4th of July by playing a game of ball between two teams picked from the club, if no better arrangement can be made in the meantime.

THE GUN.

Several members of the Union and Victoria Gun Clubs will go to Vancouver on the first to take part in the tournament in that city.

Killed by Hogs.

ST. MARY'S, Ohio., June 29.—Clerk Stewart, aged 92, the oldest resident in Miami county, was attacked to-day by hogs while walking through the barnyard and killed. When assistance reached him the hogs were still at his body.

Motion for Committal.

A motion will be made shortly by the sheriff's solicitor, for committal on account of the alleged interference with an order of the court in the case of Seeley vs. Morse. The sheriff alleges that he went to serve a writ of replevin on Mrs. Morse. She asked him to allow her to see her solicitor and he did so and the solicitor made a motion for an injunction to prevent the writ being served. The sheriff now moves for committal for interference with the service of the order of the court.

Notice.

The regular afternoon train from Wellington on Friday July 1st, will be held at Nanaimo until 7 p.m., running 2 hours and 18 minutes behind time from that point to Victoria. 2t

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The funeral will take place on Thursday at 3 o'clock from the residence as above, and at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Douglas street, at 3:30.

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Manager.

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## FLORENCE MARVIN,

The Impressional Reader

who predicted the Seattle Fire, can be consulted on all subjects for the next few days at "The Balmoral," rooms 36 and 37. Office hours 9 to 12; 2 to 5; 7 to 9.

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### CARD OF THANKS.

THE Ladies of the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital Auxiliary Committee desire to thank Mr. John Cort, Manager of the Victoria Theatre, for the loan of scenery for the stage and the aid of his men in fixing the same; likewise Messrs. Wm. Braden and Thomas Bell for their valuable assistance in carrying out the stage arrangements at the Bazaar and Entertainment held at the Assembly Hall on the 20th and 21st June, 1892. je29-1t

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